COTTON MARKET

Good Middling, 12 1-4 cents

THE DOTHAN EAGLE

THE WEATHER
For Alabama: Rain in south portion. Rain or snow in north portion late tonight.

Dothan's Population : 1890, 247: 1900, 3,275: 1910, 7,016: 1920, 20,000. "For I Heard Them Say Let us go to Dothan"

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BALKAN ALLIES ARE MARCHING NOW TOWARD ADRIANOPLE

NEARER THAN BEFORE ARMS THE BOMBARDMENT IS RESUMED

[illegible]

Bombardment Resumed

London Feb 6 The bombardment of Adrianople proceeded without interruption today and it is said that the report of this suspension of operations for twenty four hours was without foundation. Reports were brought up to Sunday and trained on the original workers to Turkish

Senn-Sation Theatre

Today

THE CHEVALIER OF THE LEGION BRIGADE

Melody drama

Today

THE SOUDER'S BROTHERS

A Western drama

Salem—

THE MAYOR FROM BRITANY

A comedy drama produced in England and America

Good [illegible] Doors open for matinee today. Matinee 10 cents. Night 10 cents. Children under 12 years of age admitted free when accompanied by parents. Matinee 2:30 p. m. Night 7:30 p. m.

NEGRO MASS MEETING IS CALLED TO CONSIDER PLANS FOR A PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING

We the undersigned citizens of Dothan Fenty and on each [illegible] of [illegible] Feb 1913 [illegible]

[illegible]

FALL OFF IN POLL TAX PAID IN HOUSTON

HOUSTON COUNTY DROPS 500 FROM THE RECORD ONLY 928 FOR 1912 PAID IN THIS COUNTY

The collector State Hall has stated that Houston county is now behind in her poll tax payment [illegible] There were only [illegible] 20 in Houston county who paid [illegible] poll taxes. The time in which poll taxes could be paid expired [illegible] and the tax collector is sending out his annual report. The only way to account for the falling off is that [illegible] Governor [illegible] that the poll tax should be clear just [illegible] and the candidates [illegible]

[illegible]

Report of the Condition of the

Houston National Bank

[illegible]

RESOURCES	DOLLARS
Total	$1[illegible]

LIABILITIES	DOLLARS
Capital stock paid in	$100,000.00
Surplus Fund	50,000.00
Undivided Profits less Expenses and Taxes paid	[illegible]
National Bank notes outstanding	[illegible]
Due to other national Banks	[illegible]
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	[illegible]
Dividends unpaid	[illegible]
Individual deposits subject to check	[illegible]
Demand certificates of deposit	[illegible]
Time certificates of deposit	[illegible]
Cashier's checks outstanding	[illegible]
Postal Savings Deposits	[illegible]
Bills payable and rediscounts (other than bills sold with endorsement)	[illegible]
Total	$[illegible]

State of Alabama County of Houston ss

I, J. P. Young, President of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. P. YOUNG, President

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Feb 1913

Ralph Grant
Notary Public

Correct—Attest
Joe Bear
J. J. Whidden
R. B. Forrester
Directors

WILSON TO TRY TO NAME CABINET BEFORE MARCH 4

Trenton N. J. Feb 5—President elect Woodrow Wilson will announce his cabinet before he assumes the duties of his office if he can do so, it was learned today. [illegible]

[illegible]

AT THE SENN-SATION THEATRE

Miss Marie Roberts who has been singing at the Senn-Sation for two nights closed her engagement last night after playing her last [illegible] Miss Roberts [illegible]

ATLANTA MAN COMMITTS SUICIDE ON TUESDAY

Atlanta Feb 5—His mind [illegible] the death of his wife two years ago, [illegible] Hospital shot himself [illegible]

[illegible]

CASTRO WILL LUNCH WITH GOVERNOR SULZER

New York Feb 5—Governor Castro [illegible] Governor Sulzer [illegible]

JACK JOHNSON TO HAVE TRIAL FEBRUARY 27TH

Chicago Feb 5—The trial of Jack Johnson the negro pugilist charged with violating the Mann white slave act will be [illegible] Judge Carpenter [illegible]

DETECTIVE WARNS OFFICERS THEN ROBS POLICE STATION

Chicago Feb 5—When Alexander W. Davidson chief inspector of the Chicago Law and Order League [illegible] from the Irving Park Police station he told Chief of Police McWeeny the [illegible]

[illegible]

What a Dothan Girl Saw At a Dothan Chautauqua.

[illegible]

WILSON TO BEGIN WORK ON HIS INAUGURAL ADDRESS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF FIRST MEETING

In The District Court of the United States in and for the Middle District of Alabama southern division

In Bankruptcy

In the matter of D. S. John & Columbia Houston County Ala

The aforesaid [illegible] having been adjudged a bankrupt under the Act of Congress relating to Bankruptcy [illegible] United States [illegible] meeting of creditors of said bankrupt is called [illegible] understanded Referee in the United States Court House Dothan Ala on the 15th day of February [illegible] at 10 o'clock A. M. to make proof of debts and for the election of a trustee and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dothan Ala, February 3rd 1913

T. L. Pollard Referee

PALACE

Three Reels Daily

Vitagraph

"SUE SIMPKINS AMBITION"
Comedy

Lubin

"THE LOVE TOKEN"
Western drama

Reliance

"GREATER WEALTH"
Drama

Mr. Best will sing
"SWEET ALICE BEWOLD"
An old fashioned song

PRESIDENT-ELECT WILL START ON DOCUMENT TODAY—LIKELY TO BE SHORT.

Trenton N. J. Feb 5—President elect Woodrow Wilson will begin work tomorrow on his inaugural address and plans to finish it in two weeks. Having devoted the first 3 days of the week entirely to state business the Governor planned to spend the remainder of it in seclusion outlining the first document which he will present as president of the United States. He indicated that it would be brief.

It is likely that his first message to the extraordinary session of Congress to be convened shortly after the inauguration, will be longer, containing specific recommendations for legislation. Just what these will be Mr. Wilson will not decide until he gets to Washington.

The Governor spent the day for the most part with State officials. A delegation from the anti saloon league of New Jersey called to obtain his aid in procuring the passage of a bill which would give the Governor the right to remove delinquent officials. The Governor said he was in favor of such a measure.

USES LAUDANUM, FINE GLASS AND WIELDS A RAZOR

Albany Ga, Feb 5—After taking laudanum and powdered glass, slashing his wrist with a razor and shooting himself below the heart in an attempt at suicide, Gordon Gournay, secretary-treasurer of the Alabama Cotton Mills, still lives. He is in a precarious condition. No reason for the act is known.

BOARDERS WANTED.—Nice furnished rooms with all conveniences, good table board at reasonable rate. 214 W. Washington. Phone 197 (F19)

Mr. Best, "The Wanderer" who is singing at the Palace Theatre.

NATIONAL BANKS ADVISED DECLARES SOL WEXLER

Washington Feb 5—Charges that the national banks throughout the south openly violate the national banking law by loaning money on real estate and mortgages were made by Sol Wexler, a New Orleans banker today, before the House currency reform committee. He said the national banks should be amended to permit such loans on real estate as security. He said the farmer is the only man who is not allowed to take his stock in trade into a national bank and secure credit upon it.

SUFFRAGETTE WILL NOT SERVE SENTENCE

London Feb 5—Sylvia Pankhurst, the suffragette leader, was sentenced to two weeks imprisonment or a fine of £10 today. The same punishment was given nineteen others who participated in the raid on the House of Commons a week ago. As she was leaving the court, Miss Pankhurst shouted she would not serve the sentence. This is probably correct as the women in one lot of fines are now invariably paid by some third party.

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Who'd a thought it about a big leagner breaking into the United States Senate as Kavanaugh did

The man who is always overworked probably needs more system in his business

If you haven't yet found your work, do something, but keep your eye peeled for a change Anybody can make a living, if it's pushing a one-wheeled buggy

The streets of this town are always torn up, or blocked, showing that the town isn't finished When we get through building this town it wont be fit to live in

The woods will be turning green in a few more weeks, and before that time we should have another chautauqua movement organized, and a good home raised ball team

When you beat a man in a trade you feel like he is going to mention it the next time he gets you He probably hasn't found it out Don't borrow trouble.

The man who acquires a reputation as a keen horse 'trader' gets picked up, boots and all, occasionally The whole country is laying for him.

Houston county has a good many more miles of good road than most people thought it would have, a year ago And the roads that are being built now are good roads, and will stay good a long time.

The Atlantic Coast Line is installing a system of telephones to take the place of the telegraph instrument 'Busy Please,' will not be heard much along that line, however.

If you are to beautify your place much this year, it is a good time to start now by putting out some shade trees While you are at it, you can just as well put out some that will be profitable in other ways, and make it pecans

Heard in vaudeville—She I never run after a car or a man I know there'll be another one along in a minute"

He "Yes, but they may be full, too"

Wilson is a source of very great annoyance to the politicians in New Jersey He has expressed a desire to hang right on as governor till just about the hour he is sworn in as president

It attracted much more attention some time ago when a man announced that he had lived more than used than it did when the Boston girl made a similar announcement the other day.

You think of some men only for the jokes they get off, you think of others only for the old ones they tell, and you think of others, because of a continued case of grouch Probably it's better to think some thing, then to controly forget

UNCERTAIN FUTURE

It is [illegible] what [illegible] claims [illegible] of Alabama [illegible] are afraid The protest [illegible] be against the extra expense [illegible] of the road but [illegible] who fear for the future [illegible] other legislature [illegible]

The candidate for [illegible] making nothing [illegible] are making them [illegible] roads in the [illegible] are denied in the

But who [illegible] this state as a candidate for governor next time [illegible]

It might clarify the matter a great deal if the governors were all in convention session Some of the doubtful things might be [illegible] head then which would [illegible] easier for the [illegible] start

UNDERFED CHILDREN

The child that does not have a nutritious food is not alert mentally and eventually becomes either a criminal an idiot or an imbecile says Dr Wiley He made this statement after getting out in Colorado as far from home him as possible He was further [illegible] The very foundation of our government is [illegible] People do not know what to eat [illegible] than they to get their children

Then to show that he knew something about a remedy for the high cost of living he told the people that they didn't know the value of wheat as a food and says that one pint of wheat can make enough breakfast food for a family of four for 4 days

Yes that's very true Doctor You can take a pint of saw dust fresh from the mill or half bushel shavings or excelsior and by the time you put a quarter's worth of cream a dime's worth of sugar and some other things you will have a pretty fair lot of stuff that will compare with the product that comes out of the mills at Niagara Falls and Battle Creek What we want you to do is tell us how to make that stuff edible without so much costly fixings

If you put enough fixtures on it it will take the bad taste away

We disagree with the doctor about the undered children We think they eat enough, but probably their food is not what a child should eat We believe that the irregularity of eating among children would stack up high in contributing to their ill health

As is generally known however, our reputation along that line is not, as yet, nation-wide as old Doc Wiley's and he will continue to draw audiences to hear him tell about it His baby is less than a year old, and he himself is so old that the hair has been worn off the top of his head, and naturally he feels that what he doesn't know about a pure food baby can't be found at this late date

MAKING MONEY ON LIGHT ACREAGE

In the current issue of Farm and Fireside a man living in Colorado tells the encouraging story of how he and his wife are making money on eight acres Following is an extract

"My wife and I are making a living and laying up a nice little sum each year from eight and one fourth acres of land

"In 1905 I was working in a furniture store in Oakland California But my health broke, and I quit my position January 1, 1905 We came to Colorado We arrived here January 10, 1905, with just $120 all we had in the world, and I not able to work at all We did not know what to do, but we concluded to buy a small tract of land We borrowed $50 of my father (who lives in Kansas) to pay down on the land We used the $120 to build us a shack to live in

In the meantime we went in debt about $60 for the material with which to build a chicken house We took seventy-two hens March 7, 1905, on the shares, we giving one half the eggs That was our start in the chicken business

That summer we raised seventy-five pullets which started laying in December and laid all winter In 1906 we went into chickens on a little larger scale In the summer of 1906 we raised three hundred nice White Leghorn pullets

"We think we have made, or rather [illegible] $1,700 and [illegible] If we [illegible] Bible [illegible] three times [illegible] each [illegible] is not [illegible] [illegible] homes for nice [illegible] [illegible] Bible [illegible] [illegible] all [illegible] [illegible] home All from eight and one fourth acres of land

Credit Column

Rather Keep Them Boiled

There are many a fellow with a small cat application in Alabama who would gladly endorse any movement by Woodrow Wilson to appoint Carter Glass to some Berth [illegible] rather keep them boiled [illegible]

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Never Within Sight

[illegible] we have not seen anybody yet who saw the proud boy see it Valdosta Times

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Cause For Cheer

There family men who are greeting at the beginning of Easter but not bills so many after the holiday should cheer up It won't happen again soon Astronomers have figured that the next time Easter comes on April 1 will be alone in the latter part of A. D. 8000 Mobile Register

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Knows Better

President Emeritus Eliot says there is no hell But every young man who has thrown red that he has lost both ticket and money in his other circles after arriving at the Dixette with his best girl knows better Montgomery Journal

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Have You Seen George?

What has become of George W Watkins check writer in chief to the Roosevelt party Anniston Star and Hot Blast

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No Pardon for Murderers

We believe the pardoning power should be taken away from a governor in murder convictions No murderer should be pardoned If this had been a law in Tennessee Carmack would have been living today and his blood cries out today for such a law Enterprise Ledger

EXCHANGE Will exchange a good organ practically new for milk cows She must give three gallons milk daily pound butter Apply at this office If you mean business

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[illegible]

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THE SOIL OF SOUTHEAST ALABAMA IS DEFICIENT IN POTASH BLUE FOX, HOMESTAKE, AND MARLBORO BRANDS ARE HIGH IN POTASH—HOME GUANO CO DOTHAN, ALA. tf

EYE SYMTOMS

Do have headaches?
Do your eyes water?
Do they ache
Does print run together?
Do things appear double?
Are your eyes inflamed?
Do your eyes tire from reading?

MANY PEOPLE

[illegible] and yet they suffer no the inconvenience or pain, they should wear glasses for the sake of their future eyesight

W. G. STRICKLAND.
OPTICIAN
At Stockland Bros.
Jewelry Store

MONEY TO LOAN On Dwellings [illegible] E C Hoff tfc

A H Sikes of Columbia was in the city yesterday

MISS FORBES TO MAKE FIRST VISIT TO THE WHITE HOUSE

Miss Alice Longworth [illegible] Miss Dolly Forbes [illegible] day for her first visit to the white house [illegible]

I do not claim to have better [illegible] than any other [illegible] Very truly yours [illegible]

ROCKEFELLER TO SPEND WINTER ON JEKYL ISLAND

[illegible] the exhibition of William Rockefeller by the notorious methods of the Home Money Trust Company of the Rockefeller quarter on Jekyl Island [illegible] as [illegible] from [illegible] private property [illegible] Rockefeller attaches during their stay on the Island

LISTEN!

No Imitation has a reason in good business judgment or honesty Now then can an imitation sold at a low price in order to give the dealer a little more profit be either like or as pure good and wholesome as the original? Common sense answers no. Therefore when you ask for Coca-Cola see that you get Coca-Cola It costs you no more than cheap and dangerous substitutes and a trial will convince you that the best is always found in bottles Inspect the crown also the bottle See that the copyrighted Coca-Cola appears on both If not refuse it

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Two splendid lots on North St. Andrews street very cheap, also large lot on the corner North St. Andrews street, with 98 foot frontage by 200 feet depth. This property is worth more than the price of the whole property.

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At Matawan the New York bound train, nearly well filled with [illegible] in it, took on a number more, [illegible] from a family of eight, about people, [illegible] and six children. [illegible] to a vacant car right [illegible] place. There were [illegible] the car [illegible] family trailed, and [illegible] with her [illegible] and the most [illegible] children, [illegible] to seek for their [illegible].

After [illegible] the train [illegible] a small, [illegible] man [illegible] the [illegible] seemed [illegible] to seek for [illegible].

[illegible] the train [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] the

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MEETING NOTICE

The Annual Convention of the Church of God in Christ is in session under a gospel tent just back of the Kentucky Hotel The Convention will last ten days

Rev. H. G Rodgers of Jackson Town, preached a soul stirring sermon last night from the text Now therefore ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the Saints and of the house hold of God And are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone, Eph 2, 19 20"

A number of preachers and workers are here from a distance and more will come as the Convention continues

Services wil be held at the tent every day at 10 30 A M and 2 30 and 7 00 P M.

All are invited

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A V Floyd of Midland City was here yesterday

Mr W C Cawdry of Columbus is in the city visiting his sister Mrs H G Farmer on North Oates st

Bud Roberts of Headland was here a while yesterday

A J Collier came in this evening for a few days visit in this section

Quaker Puffed Rice 10 cents box all this week at Kenyon's, phone 401 (7p

Woman's Work in the World.

Dr George Draper of the Rockefeller Institute discussing woman's work in the world said And this, mine you, leaves child bearing out of count Two women sat one day by a wind swept ocean pier The first woman had three beautiful children, the other was childless The childless woman gazing wistfully out over the tumbling blue water said I'd give ten years of my life to have three such children as yours' 'Well, three children cost about that,' the other woman answered gravely"—San Francisco Argonaut

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MATTER FOR CAREFUL INQUIRY

Japanese Minister's Diffidence in Presence of Emperor Is Cause of Funny Break.

The late emperor of Japan was regarded with the greatest veneration by his subjects and this attitude of awful reverence was maintained also by his ministers, in spite of the fact that affairs of state made it necessary for them to see him and converse with him very frequently

One of these ministers, the Marquis Matsugata, used to experience agonies of nervousness every time he had an audience of his sovereign, and he was never able to say anything distinct in reply to him except the set phrase, 'I shall have careful investigation made, your majesty'

This generally brought him safely through a short audience, but one day, unfortunately, the emperor condescended to discuss the marquis' more private affairs

'How many children have you?' the emperor asked

Back came the inevitable phrase "I shall have careful investigation made, your majesty!"

The story loses nothing from the fact that the marquis had a very large family indeed

Long Lives

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Whether long life be a blessing or not God alone can determine, who alone knows what length it is like to run, and how it is like to be attended. Socrates used to say that it was pleasant *to grow old with good health and* a good friend; and he might have reasoned, a man may be content to live while he is no trouble to himself or friends, but after that it is hard if he be not weary to die.

In life, as in wine, he that will drink it real, must not draw it to the dregs. When the liquor, the content of age may be, that whereas younger men are only in pain whenever they are not in pleasure, old men find some of pleasure when ever they are not in pain, and so come in a manner to pass their present enjoyment in reflecting after what is to come. Yet hopes of fruitless fame, or old men rule or the wants of their age, by making reflect on what is past.

Therefore, now in the health and vigor of their days should endeavor to *fill their lives with reading*, with travel, with the best conversation, and the worthiest actions, either in public or private station, that they may have something agreeable left to feed on when they are old, by calling remembrances.

Small Clue to Crime.

A mysterious St. Petersburg crime has just been solved by means of a trousers button. Some days ago the police found the bodies of a well-to-do couple named Andrejeff lying near the Nikolaja railway station, bearing unmistakable evidence of having been clubbed to death. The wife was known in the district on account of the valuable jewelry she used to wear, and the jewelry was missing when her body was found. No clue to the identity of the murderers could be found except a trousers button which was lying near the bodies, but as this button was similar to those *used for a certain uniform* a search was instituted. This led to the discovery of a man in the One Hundred and Forty-ninth Infantry regiment whose trousers were minus a button and on being accused of the crime he immediately confessed.

First "Lightning Catcher."

Nearly everybody believes that Benjamin Franklin was the inventor and constructor of the first lightning rod. In this particular they are mistaken, as the first lightning catcher was invented by a poor monk of Bohemia, who put the first lightning rod on the palace of the curator of Prederitz, Moravia, June 15, 1754. The apparatus was composed of a pole surrounded by an iron rod, supporting twelve curved branches and terminating in as many metallic bows filled with iron ore. The entire system of wires was united to the earth by a large chain. The enemies of the inventor, jealous of his success, excited the peasants of the locality against him, and under the pretext that his lightning rod was the cause of the excessive dry weather, had it taken down and the inventor imprisoned.

Serbs Are a Peasant People.

The inhabitants of the Balkan peninsula are not the warlike, fractious people that popular imagination in this country is apt to picture them. The Servians, for example, are a genuine simple peasant folk, whose home life might be copied with advantage by the populations living under the rule of the great powers of Europe. The Servian practices the art of cooperation, while civilized people are learning its elements. Every little homestead in Servia is a family commune, while in some of the mountain districts exists the zadruga, or ceremonial village, where everything is held in common, and where the old est man is the guide and commander and final authority on to the footing of the people in his district.

Founded Cult in Japan.

A forerunner of Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy has been discovered. She was a Japanese woman who, long before Christian Science was heard of, founded in the Island Empire a very similar cult. According to a writer in the London Chronicle, about 4,000,000 inhabitants of Japan are believers in this system, which they call "Tenrikyo" and the "medical religion." Few in England or America had heard of this religion until, not long ago, four missionaries from Japan settled for a time in London, talked of their faith to some whom they met and, departing, left behind them a little book written in English but printed in Osaka.

Starting a Missouri Train.

A drummer and a friend climbed aboard a ramshackle train in an isolated Missouri town. The train was a terrible antiquated piece of mechanism and the humane society should have prosecuted its owners for allowing it to run at all.

It finally came to a dead stop just *on the edge of the town and after a* long interval of trying to make it go the engineer stuck his head in the door and hawled.

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And then the kissing began. The guard didn't even try to say "break away!" He gulped; so did everybody else. Presently the woman handed the lad back, and the train started *on with the speed allowed that day*, ever hang over that subway station.

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Honesty in London.

Montenegro has a law ordaining that any found valuable shall be placed where the loser can find it. The fact suggests an anecdote told of Garibaldi's grandfather in Dickens' life of the famous clown. On one of his visits to Leadenhall market with nearly $2,000 in gold and silver upon him, "he found that his shoe had become unbuckled, and taking from his pocket the bag, he placed it upon a neighboring post, and then proceeded to adjust his buckle." Having afterward to pay for a purchase, he missed his bag of gold, and hurried back to the post where he had buckled his shoe. Although more than three-quarters of an hour had elapsed . . there it remained safe and untouched on the top of a post in the open street!" That was in eighteenth century London.

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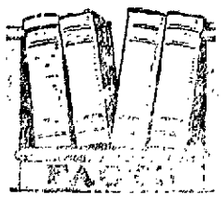

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On the earth the broken arcs; in the Heaven the perfect round.
—Browning

Mrs. J. L. Acree will entertain the local chapter U. D. C. Friday afternoon at three o'clock. A full attendance is urged.

An important meeting of Ward 4 City Improvement Club will be held with Mrs. P. B. Culver Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The discussion of beautifying the High School grounds and other matters of interest to the ward will be brought up.

Mrs. Norris Entertains.—
The Silwell Action Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. T. W. Norris on yesterday afternoon. Daffodils were used in profusion in the living room and the beautiful color scheme of yellow further was carried out in the ribbons and nasturtium decorations of the prettily hand painted score cards. Besides the club members, Mrs. Norris included Mrs. Brinkley Mrs. Ray Jones and Mrs. Wood. Mrs. Mullen assisted in serving delightful sandwiches and tea at the four tables.

The U. D. C. will meet with Mrs. J. L. Acree Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All veterans who want crosses of honor must make application immediately to Mrs. Tutwiler, the president, so they will be delivered on Memorial day.

Mrs. M. C. Corley, Sec.

Prof. J. I. Jackson of Headland was in the city last night on business.

Betrayed by His Collar.

References which appeared satisfactory had been placed in the hands of the renting agent, who was on the point of declaring them unnecessary owing to the general appearance of the applicants, when suddenly he exclaimed: "By the way, I'm sorry, but I don't believe I can let you have that flat after all. It's been spoken for."

When the possible tenants had departed indignantly the agent said: "Do you know what made me change my mind so suddenly? It was their dog's collar. By hiding the little yellow pet him I read the inscription on his collar, and saw it was engraved with four different addresses, all of which had been put on since last tax day. Three of the addresses had been scratched out. If those folk had secured my flat another would have been scratched out and a fifth added by day after tomorrow. A dog's collar marked up like that shows that his owners don't stay in one place long enough to get a new plate on his collar between moves, and I don't care to rent to transients."

Power of the Mind.

Some people give up all mental effort as soon as they get sick or afflicted, but there are some minds that no pain or suffering can subdue. The most powerful warship afloat, which was launched in the Thames in England last February, was built by a man who can neither sit nor walk. The most famous of our racing yacht designers is blind, but he could build a boat that was good enough to defend the America cup year after year.

The head of the Thames Iron Works company that built the Thunderer is a victim of chronic rheumatism and passes his days lying on a turtle bed upon which he is wheeled all over the immense works and oversees everything that is going forward. He knows every foreman in the shops and has the design of every piece of machinery by heart, and they point to him as a wonderful example of the truth of the old adage, "The eye of a master can do more work than a thousand hands."

RATS SETTLE AN OLD SCORE

In Numbers They Mutilate a Vellum Copy of Browning's "Pied Piper of Hamelin."

Rats invaded Well street a few nights ago and made a vicious assault upon Robert Browning's poem of the Pied Piper of Hamelin. In that poem, it will be remembered, the rats do not have a very good reputation. So far as known, this is the first case of retaliation by the rats against Browning for the hard things he accused them of. George D. Smith, a dealer in rare books, discovered the wilderness of the fray early one morning. The particular volume of the Pied Piper upon which the rats vented their spite was an unusually hand some copy printed on vellum and illustrated with quaint views of the Piper and the army of rats in his wake wending their way to the river. The illustrations and decorated borders were by Harry Quilter, and the book was printed in London in 1898. It is not a rare book, but is a choice edition of the "Pied Piper," and very few have ever been printed on vellum. The volume was on a shelf with some other vellum books in Mr. Smith's shop. All edges of the book from top to bottom were nibbled down close to the printed text and it is a curious fact that one or two falls of the rats in the decorated borders have been eaten off.

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